



KING COUNTY

HAZARDOUS WASTE TECHNICIAN DEPARTMENT OF EXECUTIVE SERVICES FACILITIES MANAGEMENT DIVISION

Hourly Rate Range: \$19.00 – \$24.09 (2004 Rates)

Job Announcement: 05GA4530

OPEN: 3/23/05 CLOSE: 4/6/05

WHO MAY APPLY: This position is open to qualified King County Facilities Management Division (FMD) career service employees who are members of Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Local 925, FMD temporary (including term-limited temporary) employees who are members of SEIU Local 925, and the public. Candidates will be considered in the order given. **NOTE: This recruitment is for the purpose of filling one (1) career service position and creating a list of competitive candidates to fill similar vacancies with the Building Services Section that may occur throughout the year.**

WHERE TO APPLY: Required forms and materials **must** be sent to: **Recruitment Officer, Facilities Management Division, 500 - 4th Ave., Room 800, Seattle, WA 98104.** Application materials must be received by 4:30 p.m. on the closing date. (Postmarks are NOT ACCEPTED.) Contact Gary Atchison at (206) 296-0564 for further inquiries. **PLEASE NOTE:** Applications not received at the location specified above may not be processed.

FORMS AND MATERIALS REQUIRED: A [King County application form](http://www.metrokc.gov/ohrm/jobs/JobApplications.htm) found at <http://www.metrokc.gov/ohrm/jobs/JobApplications.htm>, resume, letter of interest detailing your background and describing how you meet or exceed the requirements, and names and telephone numbers for a minimum of four references including current and former supervisors within the past three years are required.

WORK LOCATION: Primary work locations are the King County Courthouse complex (downtown Seattle), and outlying County-owned buildings. **Please note that the Building Services Section is undergoing reorganization and the work locations listed above and primary job duties listed below for this position are subject to change.**

WORK SCHEDULE: This position is overtime eligible. Full-time positions work a 40-hour week, Monday through Thursday. Work shifts and hours may vary due to project requirements.

PRIMARY JOB DUTIES INCLUDE: Removing or encapsulating hazardous materials such as asbestos, lead, PCBs, and mold in King County facilities in advance of maintenance, construction or demolition projects, including:

- Construct negative pressure enclosure for abatement or encapsulation of various hazardous materials.
- Construct various types of mini-enclosures for glove bag and floor tile abatement of asbestos.
- Perform pre-cleaning and encapsulation on all types of asbestos abatement.
- Perform maintenance on many types of equipment and tools.
- Dispose of materials in compliance with regulatory standards.

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(206) 296-5209 JOBLINE <http://www.metrokc.gov/ohrm/psd/openings.html> Website Address (206)-296-8535 TTY

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Demonstrated knowledge of hazardous waste removal laws and codes, and occupational hazards and safety precautions associated with all plumbing, electrical, engineering, and carpentry trades.
- Ability to clearly communicate orally and perform basic mathematics skills, and to lift, carry, move, or handle up to 50 pounds.
- Knowledge of tools and equipment used in the abatement process, air sampling practices and principles, and engineering controls, methods, practices and materials.
- Skill in working at heights from ladders and scaffolding or working in confined spaces.
- Demonstrated skill in the use and operation, and care of tools, machinery, and equipment associated with the hazardous waste industry.
- Most qualified candidates will have extensive experience in performing asbestos/lead/PCB/mold abatement work or performing semi-skilled construction/maintenance work.

NECESSARY SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must have Washington State asbestos, lead, HazMat, and asbestos worker certifications. Candidates must possess a valid Washington State Driver's License prior to appointment or the ability to travel throughout King County in a timely manner. The candidate selected for this position will be required to successfully pass a pre-employment physical examination, which may include a chest x-ray and pulmonary function test, and may be required to pass a thorough background investigation.

SELECTION PROCESS: Applications will be screened for clarity, completeness and qualifications. Raters familiar with the work of this trade will review and rate the applications. The most competitive candidates may be invited to a panel interview and a written and practical exercise. Finalists may interview with the supervisor. Reference checks may be conducted prior to any offer of employment.

UNION MEMBERSHIP: Positions in this classification are represented by Service Employees International Union (SEIU), Local 925.

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